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8 September 1960

MEMORANDUM FOR: All Division and Staff Chiefs

SUBJECT : Clandestine Services Operations Suggestions Program

REFERENCE :
dated 11 August 1960

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1. For some time I have been interested in ways to stimulate new ideas and initiative in the conduct of the Agency's Cold War responsibilities. The referenced will serve to announce the establishment of the Clandestine Services Operations Suggestions Program which is designed as a means to tap for this purpose the potential which exists currently within the Clandestine Services.

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2. I believe that it offers a potential of many benefits to the Agency and also can be of considerable benefit to the active imaginative people within the Clandestine Services who have the capacity to apply themselves beyond the challenges of their regular assignments.

3. I request you give this your personal endorsement by acquainting all of your personnel with the program and encourage them to participate in it.

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